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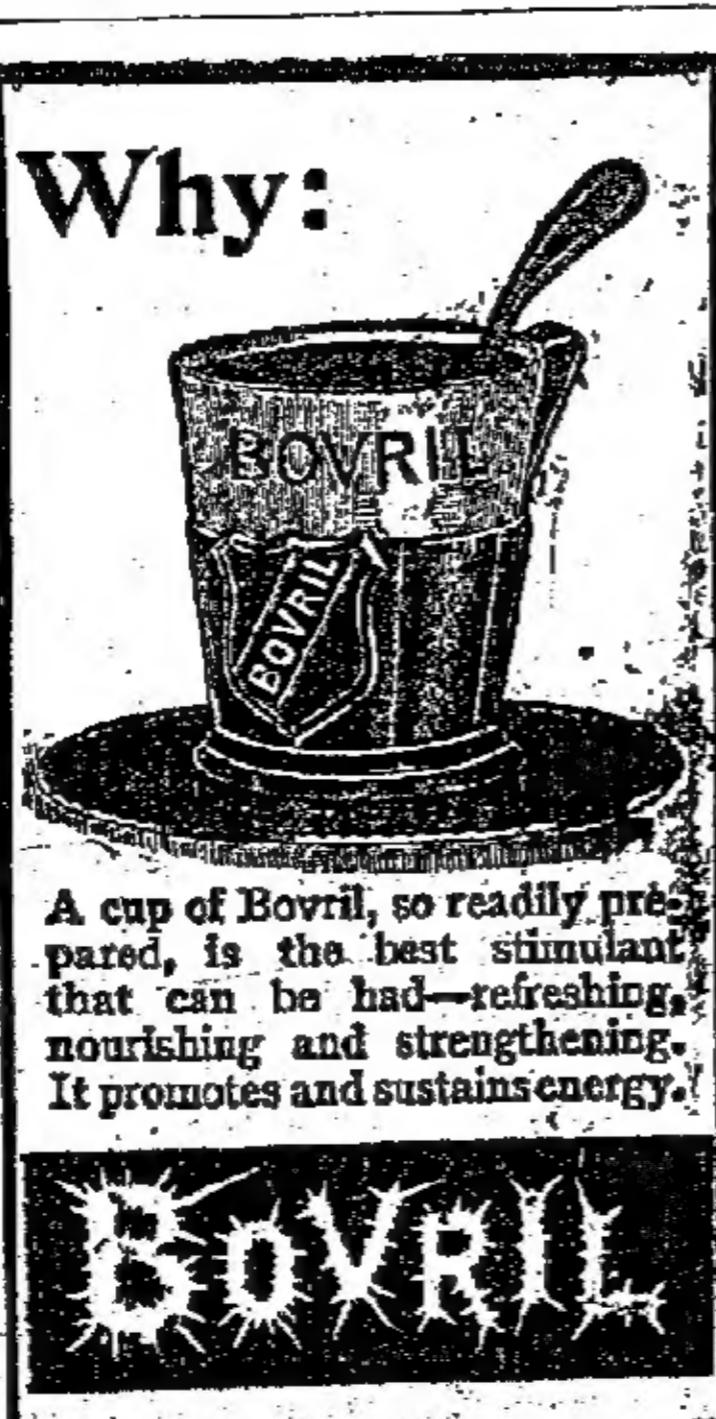
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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Meetings.

Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Union Insurance Co., Ltd., at the Society's Head Office, No. 1, Queen's Buildings.

7.30 p.m.—Meeting of United Service Lodge, No. 1341, E.C.

Amusements.

9 p.m.—Performance by the Mr. Henry Dallas Musical Comedy Co., in the City Hall.

General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, March 20.—Goods per *Ernest Simons* unclaimed before Noon, subject to rent.THURSDAY, March 21.—5.15 p.m.—Meeting of Lodge St. John. Goods per *Hakuh Alaru* not cleared after this date subject to rent.FRIDAY, March 22.—Goods per *Chosen* not cleared at 4 p.m. subject to rent.

SATURDAY, March 23.—Noon.—Private Meeting of Shareholders of the Central Eastern and Coladonian Gold Mining Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office No. 14, Des Vaux Road Central.

SUNDAY, March 24.—Goods per *Metapene* undelivered after this date, subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, March 27.—Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Queen Mills, Ltd., at the Registered Offices of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.

NOON.—Meeting of Shareholders of the China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the Offices of the General Agents.

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The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, MARCH 18, 1901.

atives might as well be members of the Government. Here they have question of widespread public interest, with arguments and reasons for reform supplied ready-made by the public, and calling for no mental effort on their part beyond the formulation of a simple question as to why the Government considers the needs of Chinese children only and why nothing is being done for European children in the Colony. It must be borne in mind that at Kowloon Ho Tung's school is not an exclusive European school. It is hoped, by enforcing certain conditions, that it will be attended mainly, if not entirely, by European children, but judging from the rapid increase of Chinese houses over the Kowloon Peninsula it is not improbable that the demand for admission by Chinese children will soon be greater than the founder or the Government or the Kowloon School Committee ever contemplated. That being so, the Ho Tung School cannot be regarded as a offset to the Yau-nati Chinese School, neither can it be brought forward as a justification for the different treatment meted out to the children of British parents in this British Colony. Put succinctly, the position is this—British people pay taxes in a British Colony to educate Chinese children from the interior of China while the Government refuses to grant any educational facilities whatsoever for the children of these British taxpayers. That is the state of affairs at Kowloon. Does it not occur to reasonable beings, official and unofficial, that this is anomalous if not disgraceful?

The usefulness of public representatives on the Legislative Council can best be gauged by the interest they show in public affairs. We make this remark *apropos* of the proposal to spend \$9000 in building a Chinese school at Yau-nati. At the last meeting of the Finance Committee, the Colonial Secretary submitted a minute from His Excellency the Governor asking for a vote of \$9000 for this purpose, and the minute was agreed to without comment. It does not seem to have occurred to the Unofficial Members to ask what the Government proposed to do for the European children of the Colony. They must have been aware of the recent agitation for a European school. They must have known that a school built for \$9000 in the centre of a populous Chinese quarter like Yau-nati was meant for Chinese alone; that its situation and the probable conditions of management precluded the attendance of European children. They must have known—or ought to have known—that Mr Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, once informed the Hongkong Government that no school could be erected at Kowloon until the Colony was able to show a certain surplus of revenue over expenditures; and yet, in the face of this knowledge, they never venture to ask a question regarding the relative needs of European and Chinese children on the Peninsula. At one time, had the Government offered a grant of \$9000 to build a school for European children, the Kowloon residents would have undertaken the management for themselves; but the Government mislaid its opportunity, and when they did make a similar monetary offer it was hampered by conditions with which the Kowloon residents felt they could not comply, while, in the meantime, the opinion had grown in strength in other parts of the Colony that the education of the children, whatever the parentage, was a Government duty, and that the whole system of education in the Colony was in need of revision and amendment. While there were free schools for Chinese, while the Colony maintained an efficient staff to educate Chinese children and youths from the interior of China, it was felt, rightly we think, that the Government should do more than it has in the past for the European children, whose interests are shamefully neglected. These were facts more or less within the knowledge of the Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council, and the public are justified in asking why nothing was said or done by them when the Governor asked them for this vote of \$9000 for the Yau-nati School.

In the face of it, the government method of treating this educational question savours of class legislation of the worst type. We do not say that a Chinese school is not required at Yau-nati. Doubtless it is. Possibly no harm would be done by erecting a few, three or more Chinese schools at Yau-nati; but surely the European ratepayers, whose burden of taxation,—thanks to those who control the property market in Hongkong,—is becoming heavier every day, have a right to demand that their children shall at least have equal facilities with the Chinese for obtaining education befitting their condition in life. It strikes us as being a strange thing that the Hongkong officials should consider it necessary to refer the request for a European school to the Downing Street officials while they can go to the Legislative Council and obtain a vote for a Chinese school without similar reference to London. In what way are the circumstances different? Admitting that the Chinese bear the larger share of taxation, does it follow that the European taxpayer has no right to equivalent treatment? It may be replied by the Government that as the Europeans can send their children to the Chinese schools at Yau-nati—or elsewhere in the Colony—therefore the Chinese could, in the same way, send their children to the European schools, and so it is best to leave the needs of the European children to individual effort. Such an argument has been used, but it is not a fair one. His Excellency the Governor, we might reply, might just as well live in a Chinese house in Taiping-shan as have a fine residence in Hongkong and another at the Peak. The Governor knows as well as his Colonial Secretary or any other official that European children could not be educated in a Chinese school, and therefore when a school is built in Yau-nati it can only be for Chinese. The Government, therefore, is not consistent in its treatment of Europeans and Chinese, and it is doing for the Chinese what it has refused emphatically to do for the Europeans. Well, may Mr Shawan say there is need for improvement in our representation in the Legislative Council. We are quite aware that steps are being taken to press home the demands of European residents on this subject of education; but, nevertheless, we feel that these demands are called for because of the inconsistency of the Government and the apparent weakness of the Unofficial Members of Council. Instead of keeping abreast of the local public questions of the hour and acting as the mouthpiece of the public they are supposed to represent, our repre-

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.

A telegram from Rangoon, published in the *Gazette*, states that Hongkong has been declared infected.

Yesterday, a coolie was killed and another injured by the fall of a quantity of building material at a building in course of erection opposite Douglas Wharf.

George de Cornouilles et d'York, looks funny, but it is the French rendering of the name and style of the Heir Apparent to the British Throne.

An Indian soldier of the 22nd Bombay Infantry shot himself on Friday night, near the Arsenal. He inflicted wounds which are likely to prove fatal.

The Directors of the Shanghai Water-works Co., Ltd., will recommend at the next annual meeting a final dividend of thirty shillings per share for the past year.

It is notified that the Assistant and Accountant in the Public Works Department will in future be styled "Superintendent of Accounts, Correspondence and Stores."

Mr J. I. Andrew, it is notified, has been authorized by His Excellency the Governor to be a surveyor of boiler of unlicensed steamships under 60 tons burden, during the absence on leave of Mr W. G. Winterburn.

Yesterday being St. Patrick's Day all loyal sons of Erin displayed their patriotism by wearing green neck, ties or green ribbons in their coat. Some even boasted a sprig of the dear little Shamrock, all the way from the "Old Country."

An inquiry was held by Mr Hazelton, at the Magistracy to-day, as to the circumstances connected with the death of Gunner Webster, of the Garrison Artillery, who jumped or fell from the verandah of Victoria Barracks.

We translate the following from a *Tonkin Contemporary* for the amusement of local practitioners:—Doctor: "How many dead last night?" Nurse: "None, doctor." Doctor: "But I ordered medicine for ten?" Nurse: "Yes, but one of them refused to take it!"

Sirnoo's arrival in Manila Harmston's Circus has been doing good business, and Colonel Hicks writes enthusiastically of future prospects in the capital of the vexed Philippines. His numerous friends will be pleased to learn that the Colonel is in excellent health.

The Weihsien correspondent of the *N.C. Daily News* writes:—It may, or may not, be possible to bring trade and commerce to Weihsien—to make it a northern Hongkong; but it possesses every natural advantage and attraction that a seaside resort should have. It is an ideal spot for a sanatorium.

Referring, apparently, to the launches at Cosmopolitan Dock on Saturday, a wag sends us the following:—"Domestic Announcement":—

On Saturday, the 16th March, 1901, the Cosmopolitan Dock, of Twins—all doing well.

It is notified in the *Gazette* that His Excellency of Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr William Chatham to be Acting Director of Public Works, Water Authority under the Water Works Ordinance, 1890, and Acting Chairman of the Wong-Nei-chong Reservoir Ground Committee, during the absence on leave of the Mr Robert Daly Ormsby.

Siege Trains going to the Cape.

It has been decided by the Military Authorities that 46 of the reservists (members of the Siege Train encamped at Kowloon) are to proceed to Cape Town by the Colonial Secretary, Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockhart, who forwards it for publication:—

SINGAPORE, March 17, 1901. No cases of plague at Singapore for ten days. Clean bills of health issued.

CIRCUMAMBULATING THE WORLD.

Arrival of the One-Armed Pedestrian.

The a.s. Oberthur brought to Hongkong the other day George M. Schilling, who is achieving fame by walking round the world. Mr Schilling is an American citizen, and is generally the case in such exploits, he undertakes the tour as the result of a wager. In 1894, Mr Schilling first commenced his feats of long-distance walking and soon attracted public attention. He cultivated powers of endurance which he is possessed of great pluck and endurance, and absolutely relentless, and with his dog "King II," as his only companion. On the night of the same day, he arrived at Yonkers, where he changed his suit for respectable garb obtained from a tailor for exhibiting himself in his shop window. He also attended an entertainment given in his honour. From this time Schilling has continued his "striding." He crossed from the United States into Canada, and after travelling a thousand miles recrossed the border into Detroit on the 17th September, 1897. He passed through cities from Chicago to Toledo, and after great heat and fatigue completed his journey across the continent in four months and fourteen days. From Vancouver, he took ship to Australia, landing at Sydney. By the latter end of September last year he had visited all the principal towns in Australia. War having broken out in the Boer War, he remained in Australia until January, 1898, when he returned to the United States.

At the special meeting of the Sanitary Board to-day, a letter was submitted from the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon (Mr C. V. Ladds) to the effect that several cases of rinderpest had occurred in a shed containing 33 head of cattle at the Sassoon's Villa premises of the Dairy Farm Company at Pokfulam. The whole of the herd having been inoculated some time ago, the general type of the disease was of a very mild character, and he had now re-inoculated all the animals, he anticipated that the outbreak would be easily stamped out. The farm being far distant from any others, there was no danger of the disease spreading to them. Rinderpest was an easy disease to isolate at any time. All that now remained to be done was to declare the shed an infected area, and to authorise the appointment of two watchmen in the usual manner. These he had already engaged provisionally. Dr Bell, who presided, said this communication was sent to the Vice-President (Hon F. H. May) who authorized the man to be engaged, and everything had been done by the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon in the ordinary way.

All they had to do now was to declare this area as infected and to endorse the Vice-President's order that the man should be engaged. He moved accordingly. Mr Chapman, who had seconded the motion was unanimously carried.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Observatory:

On the 18th inst. 12.00 p.m. barometric changes are slight. Pressure remains high over the E. coast of China with slight to moderate gradients and moderate to fresh winds from S. China and the Amakiriwa.

However, a low pressure area has been

caused by some low pressure extending along the coast from Shantung to Korea.

The pressure is moderate E. winds fair.

Intimations.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Society's Head Office, No. 1 Queen's Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 19th Instant, at Noon, when the abridged Resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society held on the 1st March, 1901, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution:

RESOLUTION.

"That in Article II in the Figures '\$7,000' be eliminated and in place thereof the Figures '\$12,000' be inserted."

By Order of the Board,

W. J. SAUNDERS,
Secretary,
Hongkong, March 8, 1901. 532

WATKINS, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SECOND ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, Queen's Road, at TUESDAY, the 19th March, 1901, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, with Statement of Accounts, to the 31st December, 1900.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 14th March to 19th March, both days inclusive.

G. A. WATKINS,

General Managers,

Hongkong, March 11, 1901. 551

THE BOWLING CLUB, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Club Premises, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th March, 1901, at 6.15 p.m.

A. H. MANCILL,

Hon. Secretary,

Hongkong, March 12, 1901. 501

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM SHIP CO., LTD.

THE EIGHTEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 1 Queen's Road, Victoria, on SATURDAY, the 23rd March, 1901, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1900, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th March to the 23rd March, both days included.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers,

Hongkong, March 12, 1901. 668

THE GREAT EASTERN AND CALEDONIAN GOLD MINING CO., LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are hereby requested to attend a PRIVATE MEETING to be held in the Company's Office, No. 14, Des Voeux Road Central, on SATURDAY, 29th March, 1901, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving their Report with Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1900.

By order of the Board of Directors,

LUTHERS, EINSTEIN & Co.,

General Agents,

Hongkong, March 16, 1901. 900

CHINA SUGAR REFINING CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

THE TWENTY-THIRD ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company, who are entitled to vote at the Office of the General Agents on WEDNESDAY, the 27th March, 1901, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving their Report with Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1900.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th to 27th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents,

Hongkong, March 7, 1901. 520

LUZON SUGAR REFINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE NINETEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents on WEDNESDAY, the 27th March, 1901, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving their Report and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1900.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th to 27th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents,

Hongkong, March 7, 1901. 527

QUEEN MINES, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th March, 1901, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts for the period ending 31st December, 1900.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 27th instant, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,

General Managers,

Hongkong, March 16, 1901. 669

HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

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By Order of the Board of Directors,

C. MOONEY,

Secretary,

Hongkong, March 16, 1901. 604

Intimations.

EYE-SIGHT.

Mr. N. LAZARUS, Optician-Lithographer, of London and Calcutta may be consulted for SPECTACLES. At 16, Queen's Road Central, (R. Houghton & Co., Nearly opposite the HONOURABLE HOTEL). Business Hours: ... 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

A great proportion of cataracts and diseases affecting those advancing in life occur to those having some deficiency in the construction of the eyes—the many years of 'Eye Strain' ending in serious forms of disease. Glasses specially adapted in youth to those requiring them save and preserve the sight.

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OF THE
AMERICA MANILA BREWING CO. INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Capital, \$1,000,000.00, Mexicanos Currency, divided into 10,000 Shares at \$100.00 each.

Shares to be paid for as follows:—10% in cash at time of subscription, 10% within thirty days after subscription, 15% within sixty days after subscription.

Balances of face value at the time and in the manner as called for by Head office Manila, P. I. Directors, JOHN GODCHAUX, PAUL BLUM, BANKERS, HONGKONG, and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Hongkong, March 11, 1901. 551

STATEMENT.

This company was organized for the purpose of constructing and operating a brewery in the city of Manila, Philippine Islands, and engaging in a general brewing business in the Philippine Islands.

The Company has been duly incorporated, registered and required by law, and authorizes the company to engage in the above business has been duly issued by the proper authorities.

The liability of each stockholder for the amount of stock for which he subscribes.

The profits which have accrued from the sale of beer in these Islands since American occupation have been enormous, notwithstanding the fact that in no sense has the field been explored.

During the six months ending November 30th, 1900, 69,637 barrels of bottled beer were imported into the Islands, which is approximately 140,000 bbls. per annum.

Beer brewed in America for these Islands must be specially prepared to make it fit for exportation.

The same beer brewed in Manila would bear from this preparation, as well as the deterioration incident to a long ocean voyage, and of necessity must be correspondingly superior to the imported article, in view of which it is confidently expected by the gentleman interested in the promotion of this enterprise that the markets for beer in the Philippine Islands will pass absolutely into the control of this corporation shortly after it has placed its first brew on the market, because it will be of the best possible quality and rigorously held to that standard.

It is reasonably expected that the future demand will much exceed the past or present, for no other reason than that beer of a quality much superior to the imported will be obtainable at greatly reduced prices.

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The remaining 3,000 shares are in full payment for the real estate above mentioned and for the franchise, license, labor and expense of incorporation, sale of stock, etc.

Applications for shares should be made on the accompanying blank forms and forwarded to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, accompanied by the amount of the deposit.

The subscription list will be open on March 1st, 1901, and will close for the Philippine Islands on March 31st, 1901, and the date for closing for all other parts than the Philippine Islands will be May 31st, 1901.

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Hongkong, March 7, 1901. 523

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THE NINETEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents on WEDNESDAY, the 27th March, 1901, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving their Report and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1900.

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JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents,

Hongkong, March 7, 1901. 527

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JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,

General Managers,

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *a.*, near the Kowloon shore *b.*, and those in the body of the shipping of midway between each shore are marked *c.*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the Market.
5. From the Market to Pedder's Wharf.
6. From Pedder's Wharf to the Navy Yard.

Sections.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building.
8. From Blue Building to East Point.
9. From Kowloon Island to North Point.
10. Kowloon Wharves.
11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name.	Arr.	Captain.	Flag and Reg.	Tons nett.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers.								
Aldie.	4	George	British str.	2500	Mar.	18 Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Sydney, A.C.	
Akashi Maru.	3	Suzuki.	Japan str.	974	Mar.	16 Miura Bussan Kaisha	Sutow & Aping	March 22.
Amara.	3	Mallock.	British str.	1156	Mar.	10 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Canton.	4	Lawrence.	British str.	1101	Mar.	17 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Catherine Apear.	4	Hilbert.	British str.	1273	Feb.	23 East Asiatic Trading Co.		
China.	3	Voss.	Ger. str.	1211	Mar.	18 C. M. S. N. Co.		
Chi Yuen.	3	Chapman.	British str.	1211	Mar.	6 Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Conch.	2	W. Holt.	British str.	4472	Mar.	17 Butterfield & Swire		
Ducalton.	5	Kay.	British str.	4675	Mar.	9 O. & O. S. S. Co.		
Doric.	3	Smith.	British str.	639	Mar.	16 Master		
Dr. Hans Jung Khor.	4	Larsen.	Norw. str.	1240	Mar.	17 E. A. Trading Co.		
Erlita Nossack.	3	Bruder.	Ger. str.	1702	Mar.	16 Jebsen & Co.		
Elsa.	4	Schindawandt.	Ger. str.	1410	Mar.	14 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Fausset.	3	Mitchell.	British str.	2084	Mar.	16 Miura Bussan Kaisha		
Froebig.	3	Knipp.	Ger. str.	2384	Mar.	16 Carlowitz & Co.		
Glenco.	2	Pruess.	British str.	1277	Mar.	23 Dredge & Limited, Co.		
Haima.	3	Merlees.	French str.	1854	Mar.	6 A. R. Mart		
Hainan.	3	Clausen.	Ger. str.	1694	Mar.	1 A. R. Mart		
Hongkong.	3	Prauner.	British str.	862	Mar.	16 Sanden, Wieler & Co.		
Independent.	3	Holtz.	British str.	871	Mar.	16 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Kuteng.	3	Bradley.	British str.	1495	Mar.	17 East Asiatic Trading Co.		
Loengzon.	3	K. K.	Ger. str.	1245	Feb.	17 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Loengzon.	3	Weigall.	British str.	1002	Mar.	17 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Lycosum.	3	Steinmann.	Ger. str.	1238	Mar.	13 East Asiatic Trading Co.		
Melpomen.	1	MacCormick.	Aust. str.	1854	Mar.	17 Sanden, Wieler & Co.		
Miles.	14	Niemann.	Ger. str.	1694	Mar.	12 T. M. Stevens & Co.		
Nuentung.	3	Gosowisch.	Ger. str.	832	Mar.	16 Melchers & Co.		
Ongau.	3	Young.	British str.	1787	Mar.	17 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Pinkel.	3	Williams.	British str.	1318	Mar.	17 Butterfield & Swire		
Polyang.	3	Kohler.	British str.	873	Mar.	18 Sieben & Co.		
Roumshire.	4	Burch.	British str.	1889	Mar.	16 Miura Bussan Kaisha		
Sham.	3	Stovell.	British str.	992	Mar.	16 Miura Bussan Kaisha		
Sullberg.	3	Jessen.	Ger. str.	780	Mar.	16 Miura Bussan Kaisha		
Tolomacius.	3	Priatross.	British str.	1420	Mar.	17 Douglas Steamship Co.		
Thaia.	2	Blathorn.	Amer. str.	872	Mar.	17 Douglas Steamship Co.		
Toonan.	2	e Blathorn.	Amer. str.	1084	Mar.	17 C. M. S. N. Co.		
Tritis.	3	Clausen.	Ger. str.	2550	Mar.	16 Miura Bussan Kaisha		
Turkiagan Maru.	7	Narasaki.	Japan str.	1824	Mar.	15 Chinese		
Victoria.	8	Hellberg.	Swed. str.	1190	Mar.	15 Butterfield & Swire		
Wampom.	4	Laver.	British str.					
Sculling Vessels.								
Adolph Ohrig.	6	Amesbury.	Amer. str.	1450	Dec.	16 Standard Oil Co.		
Hattie C. Smith.	3	s. Riley.	Amer. str.	45	Feb.	24 Master		
Iris.	3	k. Wright.	Brit. sch.	206	Mar.	4 Siemson & Co.		
Ivy.	2	k. Stedson.	Amer. bge.	1600	Mar.	18 Order		
Lothair.	3	k. Bozzo.	Ital. bge.	972	Jan.	19 Order		
Madagascar.	2	o. Smith.	B. & m. bk.	1907	Mar.	16 Standard Oil Co.		
Mozambique.	2	k. Robert le Brun.	British sh.	2305	Feb.	14 Standard Oil Co.		
Neville.	2	k. Steven.	B. & m. bk.	2242	Feb.	8 Standard Oil Co.		
Paul Riviere.	2	k. Wilson.	Amer. sh.	1641	Feb.	19 Standard Oil Co.		
Sail Witch.	2	e. Howes.	Amer. sh.	1172	Feb.	21 Master		

Hotels.

Pelham House, FAMILY HOTEL,

WYNDHAM STREET.

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KOWLOON HOTEL.

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J. W. OSBORNE, Proprietor, Hongkong, September 6, 1890.

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A First-Class Private Family Hotel.

Hongkong, September 6, 1890.

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ROTISSEURIE, Meats à la Carte.

(HOPS, STEAKS, etc., etc., at any time, between 7.30 a.m. and 11 p.m.)

Monthly Tiffin at Moderate Rates.

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Hongkong, May 1, 1899.

HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.

7.30 a.m. to 8.30 a.m....Every quarter of an hour.

8.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m....Every ten minutes.

9.30 a.m. to 10.45 a.m....Every quarter of an hour.

11.30 a.m. to 3.00 p.m....Every quarter of an hour.

3.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m....Every quarter of an hour.

7.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m....Every fifteen minutes.

Night cars at 8.45 p.m. and 9.30 p.m. and from 9.45 p.m. to 11.15 p.m.

Evening hours.

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JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Manager.

Hongkong, February 4, 1891.

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Hongkong, March 31, 1900.

UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(Instituted in the Reign of Queen Anne A.D. 1714).

CAPITAL FULLY SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000.

CAPITAL PAID UP £160,000.

TOTAL INVESTED FUNDS EXCEED £2,459,044.

TOTAL ANNUAL INCOME £1,103,883.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS of the above Society in Hongkong, are prepared to issue Policies against FIRE on the usual terms.

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Claims settled direct without reference to the Head Office.

A. R. MARTY, Agent.

Hongkong, August 1, 1900.

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THE Undersigned are prepared to accept MAEINS RISKS at CURRENT RATES.

GEO. R. STEVENS & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, October 9, 1900.

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NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

LONDON COLLEGE OF MUSIC.

Hongkong Centre—Examination Results.

The results of the Examinations held in December last in connection with the London College of Music are now announced, and are forwarded to us by Mr E. Ralphs, Hon. Secretary, Hongkong Centre. The candidates in practice and were examined by Messrs A. Ward and G. Grindall, and Misses A. Oates, with the Royal College of Music, Naples. The Theory papers sent to England for examination. In the following list, the schools to which the candidates belong, or their teachers, are denoted by letters placed after the names, thus—

Italian Concerto.....(L.C.)
Mr. E. Ralphs.....(D.)
Mr. F. Danenbey.....(F.D.)
Diocesan Girls' School.....(D.G.)
Mr. L. A. de Grae.....(G.)
Miss Patterson.....(P.)
Mr. A. G. Ward.....(W.)

PIANO-FORCE PLATING.

Advanced Senior Section—First Class—C. Logan (D.G.), F. Shaw (W.); Second Class—R. Ley Kua (W.).

Senior Section—Honours—A. M. Lee Lun (I.C.), C. Shelton Hooper (P.); First Class—M. Hunter (W.), M. Carroll (D.); Lewis (F.D.).

Intermediate Section—Honours—A. Leabir (W.), Fine Class—M. Rocha (I.C.), M. Jack (P.), D. Mather (W.).

Elementary Section—Honours—Edith Best (I.C.), J. F. Joseph (D.), M. C. Burke (I.C.); First Class—M. M. Martinez (I.C.), R. Ahnes (I.C.); Second Class—E. Hopur.

Primary Section—Pass—E. A. Joseph (D.), D. East (D.), N. Rodger (D.).

VOCAL.

Elementary Section—Honours—J. H. Lawrence (G.); Second Class—A. M. Nevus (G.).

THEORY.

Senior Pass Section—First Class—S. Mehta (D.); Second Class—K. Shaw (W.).

Intermediate Section—Second Class—A. Alves (D.).

Junior Honours Section—Pass—C. Shelton Hooper (W.).

Junior Pass Section—First Class—Eliza Best (I.C.).

The Bellis Medal for girls is awarded to Miss F. Shaw, pupil of Mr. A. G. Ward; that for boys is not awarded.

Prizes awarded to C. Logan, A. M. Lee Lun, A. Leabir, Edith Best, and F. A. Joseph for Piano-force, and J. H. Lawrence for Violin.

THE OUTBREAK OF SMALL-POX.

Steps to Combat the Epidemic.

A special meeting of the Sanitary Board was held to-day, for the purpose of considering the steps to be taken to meet the present epidemic of small-pox and prevent its spreading further. There were present Dr Bell, Dr Clark and Messrs W. O'Farrell, A. W. Braithwaite, Fung Yu Chum and Chan A. Fook, and G. A. Woodcock (Secretary). In the absence of the Hon. R. D. O'Brien, President, and Hon. F. H. May, Vice-President, Dr Bell was called upon to take the chair.

Dr Bell said the special meeting had been called that day to consider the question as to whether the Board would do anything in regard to the present epidemic of small-pox. The small-pox was on the increase, more than it had been for some years back, and a good many Europeans had been attacked.

Dr Clark said the number of cases reported up to date this year had been 39 and during the week ended Saturday last, there were 16 cases, and four deaths. During the previous weeks the numbers were smaller, showing that the disease was spreading. Of these cases were Europeans, the others Chinese and Chinese. There had been two deaths, and one case. The Sanitary Staff had been instructed to get vaccinated, and he thought it would be well to recommend the Government to issue instructions to all Government Departments to the effect that the members of the staff should get vaccinated, who had not been vaccinated during the past three years. In the previous epidemic, the arrangements made were first of all to issue placards or hand-bills calling the attention of the Chinese to the necessity for vaccination against small-pox; secondly, the provision of free vaccination to all-comers, and the appointment of certain places where the vaccination was to be done. This, of course, necessitated the procuring of an increased supply of vaccine, and a sum of 500 taels a week was used, but that would not be like the demand just now. He would suggest that the Government appoint Chinese in the Colony to vaccinate, and that they should appoint the Tung Wa Hospital, the Alice Memorial and Netherlands Hospitals as stations for the Chinese being vaccinated, and that Government Civil Hospital be appointed for Chinese and non-Chinese.

The Chairman—I would not recommend that these places already exist for free vaccination. The Tung Wa Hospital already gives free vaccination, and the Alice Memorial did a tremendous lot last week. They have used 200 tubs since last Wednesday. If notices were distributed saying that small-pox was on the increase and that vaccination was the only preventative, I think that is all that would be wanted.

Mr Fung Yu Chum—I think it would be better still to appoint students to go round the town and ask people to get vaccinated. I have had the experience with my servants last week; most of them didn't want to be vaccinated, but I insisted. I think it would be a good thing to engage the students of the Chinese College of Medicine to go round every house and urge upon people to get vaccinated, instead of merely asking them by handbill to go to these places.

Mr Brown—I agree with Mr Fung, that a great many people won't take the trouble to go to the Tung Wa Hospital, and, if the vaccine was taken to their doors, they would probably be vaccinated. I don't think we should limit the number of students, I think we should take as many qualified vaccinations as we can.

On the motion of Dr Clark, seconded by Mr O'Brien, the following resolutions were then carried, viz.—(1) That the Board recommend the Government to insert a notification in the Government Gazette calling the attention of the public to the prevalence of small-pox in the Colony, and stating that persons can be vaccinated free of cost at the Tung Wa Hospital, the Alice Memorial Hospital, Netherlands Hospital and Government Civil Hospital.

(2) That the Board also recommend the Government to instruct the Registrar General to issue postore and hand bills calling the attention of the public to the necessity for being vaccinated, and that the Government engage a sufficient number of vaccinators from the College of Medicine, Officers to go from house to house and offer vaccination to the inmates.

(3) That the Board recommend the Government to telegraph to Saigon for a stock of vaccine lymph to supplement the local supply.

SUPREME COURT.

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before His Honor Sir John Carrington, Kt., C.M.G., Chief Justice.)

Monday, 18th March.

A LONG LIST.

The Criminal Sessions opened with a list of ten cases, including two murders, two Trial Society cases, one charge of arson, and five cases of robbery. There was no bigger list during all last year.

NOT SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE.

Previous to the business of the Court commencing, the Attorney General (Mr. W. Moagh Goodman, K.C.) said with regard to the charge of arson against the man named Sun Chi, that he had heard the magistrate committing the case for trial, he had come to the conclusion that he could not ask a jury to convict upon such evidence as he had got to bring before the Court. Although it was a case with some suspicion attached to it, he did not think it would be right to take up the time of the Court for two days perhaps with it. Under the circumstances, he did not think it his duty to give instant relief. Whitehale and Retail from A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd.

This was agreed to by his Lordship.

THE BOWER ROAD AFFAIR.

Wong Fu and Li Po were charged with robbery with violence.

They denied the charge, and the following gentlemen were empanelled as a jury—Messrs A. P. Samy, F. A. C. Hoon, F. A. D. P. Collac, P. A. Cox, Weinberg, J. Vandermer and Wan Kai Mi.

The Attorney General said the two prisoners were charged with robbery with violence upon the person of one Frank Esom, a clerk in the employ of the Eastern Asiatic Trading Company. It seemed that, on the afternoon of Sunday, March 13, Mr Esom was walking along Bowen Road. When he got some distance along he noticed that there were two men behind him, and when he got to that part of the Road, looking down upon the person of the man, suddenly turned and ran off behind. These robbers pushed him down on his face, and each time he tried to get up, they struck him down again. One of the men struck him six times with his fist on the forehead, while the other man kicked him and hurt his left knee. They then got him jambled into a side channel and took his watch and chain, valued about \$70. One of the men then stood by while the other baled with the watch and chain. Mr Esom suffered a great deal, his knee was hurt, his nose bleeding and there were other bruises about him. Some time after, a number of Europeans and a blue-jacket from H.M.S. *Torbay* came along. The blue-jacket supported Mr Esom to Esom Police Station, where a report was made to the police. The Attorney General concluded that it was very creditable to the police that the man had been caught.

After evidence the jury returned a verdict of guilty.

His Lordship said the King's highway was for the use of the people, and when robbers like the accused molested those they must, in order to secure the peace of the lieges, be made an example of. The prisoners, had they had arms, would have had to suffer a much greater punishment than he was now to inflict upon them. He then sentenced each of the prisoners to suffer six years' imprisonment with hard labour, and to receive twenty strokes on the broad within the first week of their incarceration.

TRIAD SOCIETY MEN.

Li Muk Kwai was found guilty of the charge of being a member of an illegal society, to wit the Triad Society, and His Lordship ordered him to be imprisoned for four months with hard labour.

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Dr Clark said the number of cases reported up to date this year had been 39 and during the week ended Saturday last, there were 16 cases, and four deaths. During the previous weeks the numbers were smaller, showing that the disease was spreading. Of these cases were Europeans, the others Chinese and Chinese. There had been two deaths, and one case. The Sanitary Staff had been instructed to get vaccinated, and he thought it would be well to recommend the Government to issue instructions to all Government Departments to the effect that the members of the staff should get vaccinated, who had not been vaccinated during the past three years. In the previous epidemic, the arrangements made were first of all to issue placards or hand-bills calling the attention of the Chinese to the necessity for vaccination against small-pox; secondly, the provision of free vaccination to all-comers, and the appointment of certain places where the vaccination was to be done. This, of course, necessitated the procuring of an increased supply of vaccine, and a sum of 500 taels a week was used, but that would not be like the demand just now. He would suggest that the Government appoint Chinese in the Colony to vaccinate, and that they should appoint the Tung Wa Hospital, the Alice Memorial and Netherlands Hospitals as stations for the Chinese being vaccinated, and that Government Civil Hospital be appointed for Chinese and non-Chinese.

The Chairman—I would not recommend that these places already exist for free vaccination. The Tung Wa Hospital already gives free vaccination, and the Alice Memorial did a tremendous lot last week. They have used 200 tubs since last Wednesday. If notices were distributed saying that small-pox was on the increase and that vaccination was the only preventative, I think that is all that would be wanted.

Mr Fung Yu Chum—I think it would be better still to appoint students to go round the town and ask people to get vaccinated. I have had the experience with my servants last week; most of them didn't want to be vaccinated, but I insisted. I think it would be a good thing to engage the students of the Chinese College of Medicine to go round every house and urge upon people to get vaccinated, instead of merely asking them by handbill to go to these places.

Mr Brown—I agree with Mr Fung, that a great many people won't take the trouble to go to the Tung Wa Hospital, and, if the vaccine was taken to their doors, they would probably be vaccinated. I don't think we should limit the number of students, I think we should take as many qualified vaccinations as we can.

On the motion of Dr Clark, seconded by Mr O'Brien, the following resolutions were then carried, viz.—(1) That the Board recommend the Government to insert a notification in the Government Gazette calling the attention of the public to the prevalence of small-pox in the Colony, and stating that persons can be vaccinated free of cost at the Tung Wa Hospital, the Alice Memorial Hospital, Netherlands Hospital and Government Civil Hospital.

(2) That the Board also recommend the Government to instruct the Registrar General to issue postore and hand bills calling the attention of the public to the necessity for being vaccinated, and that the Government engage a sufficient number of vaccinators from the College of Medicine, Officers to go from house to house and offer vaccination to the inmates.

(3) That the Board recommend the Government to telegraph to Saigon for a stock of vaccine lymph to supplement the local supply.

FOOTBALL.

SEMI-FINAL FOR THE SHIELD.

As anticipated, the match between the teams representing the Victoria Recreation Club and the 15th Company (Siege Train), Southern Division, Royal Garrison Artillery, was one-sided, the Siege Train proving themselves to be far superior in every respect to the civilians. The score 5-0 is a fair indication of the respective merits of the teams. The winners have, perhaps, the finest forward combination in Hongkong at the present moment, and as regards weight, there is certainly nothing in the Colony to equal them. The Siege Train enter the final for the Shield with H. Co. Royal Welsh Fusiliers, with a large handicap.

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ARRIVALS AT HOME.

March 15, *Sambia* and *Strathord*.

Mails.

The Imperial German Mail s.s. *König Albrecht*, carrying the German Mail, with date of arrival Berlin of the 18th February, left Singapore on Friday at 2 p.m. the 18th March, and is to be expected here on or about Wednesday morning, the 29th March.

Stearns Expected.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. *Athenian* left Vancouver on the 10th March, for Hongkong via the usual ports of call. The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. *Trieste* left Singapore on this port on the 12th March.

The s.s. *Singapore* from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore on this port on the 13th March at 5 p.m.

The H. A. L. steamer *Socilia*, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 13th March, and may be expected here on or about the 19th March.

The *St. Peter*, from Antwerp and London, left Singapore on the 13th March for this port on the night of 14th March.

The O. S. S. Co.'s s.s. *Ajaccio* left Singapore at noon on 13th March, and is due in Hongkong on 19th March.

The *Gibraltar* from Glasgow, from Middlesex and London, left Singapore on the 15th March, and is due here on the 21st March.

The *Cal. & O. S. S. Co.*'s s.s. *Santaphile* left San Diego on 20th Feb., for Hongkong, via Kowloon.

The *Cal. & O. S. S. Co.*'s s.s. *Bergenhus*, left San Diego, for Kobe and Hongkong, left Hongkong on the 10th March, and is due here about 20th April.

Latest Advice.

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. *Queen Adelicia* sailed from Yokohama, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 8th March.

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. *Tacoma* sailed from Yokohama for Tacoma on the 13th March.

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. *Olympia* sailed from Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 13th March.

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. *Bremen* sailed from Yokohama for Tacoma on the 17th March.

The Imperial German Mail s.s. *Bremen* left Shanghai on Saturday, the 18th March, at 2 p.m., and may be expected here on the evening of the 18th March.

The T. K. K. s.s. *Nippon Maru*, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port on Monday morning, the 18th March, at daylight.

The T. K. K. s.s. *America Maru*, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port on Monday morning, the 18th March, at daylight.

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Bingo Maru*, left Yokohama for this port on the 17th March, and is to be expected here on the 19th March, at 1 p.m.

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Yamagata Maru* left Singapore on the 16th March, and is to be expected to arrive here on the 21st March.

The M. M. Co.'s str. *Oceanus*, left Singapore on Monday, the 18th March, at 5 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 25th March.

This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 19th Jan.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. *Empress of Japan* arrived at Nagasaki at 8 a.m. on Monday, the 18th March, and left again at 5 p.m. on same day for Kobe, where she is due

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